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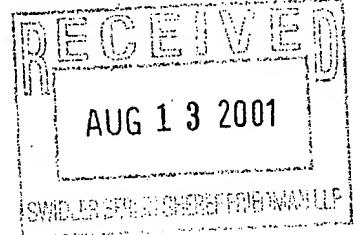
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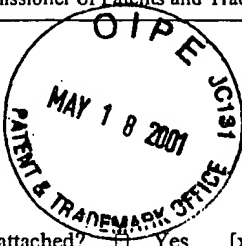
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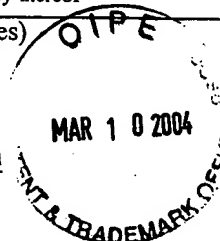
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**A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A METAL-OXIDE VARISTOR WITH IMPROVED ENERGY ABSORPTION CAPABILITY**

- ☐ for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith,
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